Player1MGA is September’s Xbox Ambassador of the Month!

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It’s September and we have a new Ambassador of the Month! Please welcome Player1MGA!

Player1MGA has been a gamer for quite some time and brings that wealth of experience and knowledge to the Xbox Ambassadors Program. Find out more about him below and be sure to say hi if you see him in Xbox spaces.

How Did Gaming Become One of Your Passions?

I guess it all started in the late 80’s early 90’s. Our house had an Atari and a Laser 128 computer. Pong, Oregon Trail and Mario Arcade were my first games. My first shared console was the NES with my sister. After that I got to own my first console the Sega Genesis. Since then, I have always had to have a gaming console. Nintendo, PlayStation and Xbox. I’ve had them all. It’s a way for me to unwind at the end of the day and a way for me to escape from the world and everyday life.

What’s your favorite video game or franchise, and why?

My favorite video game franchise would have to be The Legend of Zelda franchise. One of the first games I owned on the NES was the gold cartridge Legend of Zelda. Since then I have had to own/play all of them. I love the story, characters and game play of all of them. Also, the progression from a closed world to an open world has been such a delight

How long have you been an Xbox Ambassador for, and how did you first hear about the program?

I became an Xbox Ambassador in August of 2021. I first heard about the program through googling Xbox websites and stumbled across the Xbox Ambassador web site.

Do you have a favorite Xbox Ambassadors memory that you’d like to share?

My favorite memory would be all the gaming friendships that I have made since I’ve joined. It’s amazing the kindness and generosity everyone has shown. I am looking forward to future friendships as well.

For you, what’s the most important line of the Xbox Ambassador Pledge and why?

For me the most important line in the Xbox Ambassador Pledge is “Be inclusive and welcoming of all gamers.” Everyone should have the right to game no matter what. No one should be excluded from enjoying the fun in gaming. I appreciate that the Xbox community allows for all gamers to have their own story and gaming preferences. I value all of those perspectives.

What does a healthy community mean to you?

A health community is one where everyone is accepted. Doesn’t matter your age, gender, race, etc. Gaming is for everyone and regardless of the games or console you play.

How do you think online communities positively impact the lives of gamers?

Online communities have helped us meet new people who have the same interests. We get a chance to connect with people all over the world that we otherwise would not have had the chance to. Also, it allows solo players who wouldn’t have a chance to play multiplayer games the opportunity too.

What do you like to do outside of gaming?

Outside of gaming I love to spend time with my wife, two 8-year-old boys and our beagle dog Marvin. I enjoy working out, fishing, kayaking, building legos and being a tech geek. I like watching the Yankees, Maple Leafs and Titans for sports teams.

As Ambassador of the Month, what message do you have for other members of the Xbox Ambassadors community?

My message would be to have fun gaming. No matter the game. Also, to enjoy all the little things in life as well as the big ones. You never know what life is going to hand you. Just roll with it